

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Guojun DAI et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1791
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Application No.: 10/562,857)	Examiner: HOFFMANN, John M.
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Filed: December 29, 2005)	Confirmation No.: 6423
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR)	
DRILLING PREFORMS FOR)	
HOLEY OPTICAL FIBERS)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed November 10, 2009, the period for response to which extends to February 10, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.